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Preface

The 2022 DelDOT QC/QA Manual is the result of an effort that began in 2019 to review the Department's Quality Control and Quality Assurance (QC/QA) procedures for contract plans, specifications, and other documents that are advertised by the Department. This effort began by investigating the common QC/QA methods employed by the Department's staff and the contracted professionals under agreement with the Department. This initial investigation highlighted the need to create consistent QC/QA practices across the various divisions of the Department that advertise plans, specifications, or other documents. In 2021, the Department formed a QC/QA Manual Committee which was tasked with formalizing QC/QA procedures that could be applied throughout the Department. The QC/QA Manual Committee utilized the results of the previously conducted investigation and performed additional investigation into the national state of the practice for performing QC/QA on engineering work products. The QC/QA Manual Committee ultimately identified several best practices for incorporation and then interviewed Department staff to further refine the QC/QA procedures to best blend into the Department's existing workflow. This manual provides a framework of QC/QA practices which will further the Department in its mission to achieve excellence in transportation for every trip, every mode, every dollar, and everyone.

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Abbreviations and Definitions

Disposition Document – A file which tracks responses to all received quality control check comments. It can take the form of a "Comment Matrix" in a spreadsheet, a list of comments vs. corresponding responses in a text document or email, or (as is most common during QC) annotated responses adjacent to the applicable comments on a "red-line" markup.

Endorser – The individual who signs a finished work product prior to advertisement asserting that it is "Ready to Advertise." The Endorser must be the Division Director responsible for the programming and management of the project or their designee.

Engineer of Record – The individual who creates, or causes to be created, engineering work products. The Engineer of Record is in responsible charge of the project design and construction plan development, will meet the standard of care, and will comply with all applicable engineering standards, guidelines, policies, regulations, and laws for their project. The Engineer of Record may be responsible for development of all the plans or only portions of plan sets. Complex projects may have an Engineer of Record for each section of the plan set prepared by different engineering disciplines such as roadway, bridge, traffic, etc. See <u>Policy Implement D-04 Engineering Plan Approval Policy</u> for additional discussion.

PS&E – An acronym for plans, specifications, and estimate. The term is generally used to describe all of the elements of a construction project that will become the contract between the advertising agency and the awarded contractor.

QC/QA Certification Memorandum – A written statement to the Division Director that appropriate quality controls were followed to ensure the project was designed and plans were prepared in accordance with governing standards by properly licensed professionals.

QC/QA Plan – A strategy typically established at the beginning of a task which identifies resources to assist in the QC/QA process.

Quality Control (QC) – Involves a detailed review of a work product by a second party qualified to conduct the review. QC is performed on each work product making up the various component pieces of a larger deliverable.

Quality Assurance (QA) – Involves reviewing work products prior to submission to verify the appropriate QC processes were followed, that it is complete, accurate, and high-quality, and that it meets the Standard of Care. QA is performed at a global level across a project by a third party qualified to conduct the review. It may involve a multi-disciplinary team on complex projects.

Self-Check – A check for accuracy and completeness that is performed by the staff member creating the work product.

Standard of Care – The degree of skill and care ordinarily used by competent practitioners of the same professional discipline under similar circumstances, taking into consideration the contemporary state of the practice and the project conditions.

Work Product – The items that are advertised for bid by the Department as well as any subordinate piece or intermediate work completed or developed in support of the items that are advertised for bid by the Department. Work products include but are not limited to the following examples:

- Calculations
- Plan Sheets
- Specifications
- Technical Documents/Reports/Memos/Letters
- Work Orders assigned through an ID/IQ Agreement
- 3D Engineered Models

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Chapter 1 Introduction

The Delaware Department of Transportation (DelDOT) has developed this manual to further the Department in its mission to achieve excellence in transportation for every trip, every mode, every dollar, and everyone by establishing uniform and consistent quality control and quality assurance procedures that can be applied across the Department and throughout the project development process. Adherence to the procedures included in this manual will promote a consistent process and facilitate the creation of accurate, high-quality, complete, and clear work products which in turn decreases errors and reduces risk.

The project development process is a dynamic workflow which generally varies based upon the Department program developing the contract as well as the complexity of the project and the number of project stakeholders. The Department's QC/QA process and procedures may likewise vary across the Department due to these variations in the project development process; however, the QC/QA methodology and overall emphasis on the development of accurate, high-quality, complete, and clear work products remains the same. The procedures contained in this manual have been written specifically to apply to the Division of Transportation Solutions (DOTS); however, the methodology and associated guidance contained herein apply to all Divisions of the Department that develop contract plans, specifications, or other documents which are advertised by the Department.

This manual has been specifically developed for the Department; however, the manual is also intended to serve as a resource for contracted professionals under agreement with the Department to develop contract plans, specifications, or other documents which will be advertised by the Department. The contents of this manual do not supersede the contracted entity's company or agency QC/QA policies or procedures and, in all cases, the contracted professionals are to follow their own company or agency QC/QA policies or procedures. All task proposals submitted to the Department should have QC/QA hours accounted for and assigned to each individual subtask to make for easier Department review and verification.

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Chapter 2 Methodology

This chapter defines the general methodology in which work products are developed and subsequently quality control checked and quality assurance reviewed. The Project Manager responsible for the work is also responsible for ensuring that the guidelines contained in this manual are followed on every project. The Project Manager should consider creating a project specific QC/QA plan for checking the work as early as feasible in the project development process. A QC/QA Plan Template is included as <u>Appendix D</u> in this manual. Considerations for a project specific QC/QA plan include the individual elements that will require review, the complexity of the work, and the availability of qualified staff. It is recommended that the Project Manager create a pool of qualified individuals to select from to ensure timely project delivery.

The staff involved in the QC/QA process are assigned titles related to their QC/QA responsibilities. The Department defines the following titles:

- The Originator The person who originates the work product.
- QC Checker The person who performs the quality control check.
- QA Reviewer The person who performs the quality assurance review.
- Project Manager The person who oversees the implementation of the guidelines contained within this manual.

<u>Section 2.1</u> of this manual defines the QC/QA process and <u>Section 2.2</u> provides a recommended color-coding scheme to promote consistent, thorough, and easily documentable reviews. All files related to the QC/QA process are to be appropriately filed in the project's directory for tracking and documentation purposes. Proper documentation filing will expedite any required audit process.

2.1 Stages of the QC/QA Process

In general, the development and checking of work products will follow the following sequence:

- Creation and self-check of a work product (see Section 2.1.1),
- Quality control check of a work product (see Section 2.1.2),
- Quality assurance review of a work product (see Section 2.1.3), and
- QC/QA audit (see Section 4.2).

2.1.1 Origination

All work products begin with origination or creation by the "Originator". The qualified person should use all necessary development tools, related Department guidance documents and manuals, and Department checklists to ensure that an accurate, high-quality, complete, and clear work product is produced. A listing of pertinent Department checklists is included as <u>Appendix C</u> of this manual.

The Originator will perform self-checks on their work for accuracy and completeness as work is produced. Self-checks performed by the Originator are not considered to be quality control checks. The Originator and the Project Manager are to arrange for quality control checks to commence as major elements of work are considered to be satisfactorily complete by the Originator and the Project Manager.

2.1.2 Quality Control Check

The quality control check is intended as an independent review to check the Originator's work. The person who performs the quality control check is termed the "QC Checker". The Originator is not to serve as the

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QC Checker. The quality control check should not commence until the Originator and the Project Manager consider the element of the work product being checked to be satisfactorily complete.

The QC Checker's review is to be focused on the accuracy and completeness of the work product and is to result in the QC Checker returning suggested corrections to the Originator. The QC Checker is to perform detailed checks of designs, design assumptions, plans, computations, reports, and conclusions to determine if the work product is of high-quality. The QC Checkers comments are to be detailed, clear, specific, and when possible, also include a recommended solution. Vague comments that state "verify", "wrong", or comments of a similar nature should not be made by the QC Checker.

The QC Checker is to utilize the necessary Department checklists and other Department documents to determine if the work product is thorough and complete. <u>Appendix A</u> of this manual contains work product specific QC procedures for the most common work products that the Department produces.

The QC Checker may be either a peer or a supervisor to the Originator but in all cases must meet the following two criteria:

- 1. The QC Checker is to be a qualified staff member with the appropriate level of technical knowledge, and
- 2. The QC Checker must not have been directly involved in the original production of the work product so as to ensure an independent, thorough, and unbiased review.

There may be multiple QC Checkers on an individual project depending upon the division of work into logical elements for checking as well as staff availability and qualifications.

The Originator is to verify all of the QC Checker's recommended corrections to ensure accuracy and appropriateness before incorporation. The Originator is to coordinate with the QC Checker to resolve any disagreement or confusion, and then implement the agreed upon changes. The Engineer of Record will determine all final resolutions when coordination between the QC Checker and Originator does not lead to consensus.

After all of the QC Checker's comments are addressed, the Originator will return a revised work product (i.e., clean copy) together with all prior markups to the QC Checker. The QC Checker will review the documents provided by the originator to ensure that the changes have been properly incorporated into the revised work product. The QC Checker may submit additional comments to the Originator in cases where the recommended changes were not incorporated sufficiently or properly. This procedure will be repeated until there are no remaining unresolved comments on the revised work products.

Department staff are not required to perform quality control checks on work products produced by contracted professionals under agreement with the Department. The contracted professionals are to perform all quality control and quality assurance procedures as dictated by their respective organization's policies and procedures prior to submission to the Department.

2.1.3 Quality Assurance Review

Quality assurance reviews are to occur logically in the project development process and, at a minimum, are to be performed as the final review ahead of a milestone submission. The person who performs the quality assurance review is termed the "QA Reviewer". The quality assurance review is intended to assess the overall completeness and quality of the entire milestone submission. The QA Reviewer is to utilize the

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necessary Department checklists and other Department guidance documents to determine if the work product is thorough and complete. The QA Reviewer will also ensure that the QC/QA process described within this manual has been sufficiently followed. The QA Reviewer is to have an appropriate level of experience to assess the work product and therefore, is typically the manager of Groups or Sections within a Division. The QA Reviewer should not have been intimately involved in the development of the work product(s) to foster an "independent review" and fresh perspective. Complex projects involving multiple engineering disciplines may warrant the assignment of multiple QA Reviewers.

Qualified Department staff will perform quality assurance reviews on milestone submissions produced by contracted professionals under agreement with the Department to assess the submission's overall completeness and quality. In all cases, the contracted professionals are to perform all quality control and quality assurance procedures as dictated by their respective organization's policies and procedures prior to submission to the Department. The Department's quality assurance review in no way alleviates any responsibilities or obligations of the contracted professionals that are included in their agreement with the Department.

The Department's quality assurance review will be deemed complete upon the QA Reviewer's signing of the Department's Construction Plan Submission Checklist. Sections within the Department that do not follow the Construction Plan Submission Checklist may create other documentation or mechanisms to document the completion of the quality assurance review.

2.2 Color-Coding Scheme

The Department has adopted a recommended color-coding scheme to be used as part of the QC/QA process to create consistency across the Department, which in turn promotes efficient coordination and enables simplified tracking on all products developed during the project development process. The Department's adopted color-coding scheme is as follows:

- Yellow highlight is used by the QC Checker to indicate agreement with the work. It is recommended that yellow highlight be flattened by the QC Checker in accordance with the procedure in Section 2.2.1.
- Red text is used by the QC Checker to initial and date their review as well as to indicate
 corrections, additions, and/or questions. When the check is conducted using Bluebeam Revu, the
 QC Checker's comments may be added to the disposition document by using the Markup List
 feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.
- **Black pencil** may be used by the QC Checker to annotate their corrections. These annotations are not considered corrections, but may offer clarification to the Originator such as a scratch computation indicating how a corrected number recommended by the QC Checker was derived.
- Green highlight is used by the Originator to indicate agreement and incorporation of the QC Checker's comments.
- Green text is used by the Originator to initial and date their response to the check as well as to
 document changes made based on the QC Checker's comments. When the check is conducted
 using Bluebeam Revu, the Originator's responses to the QC Checker's comments may be added
 to the disposition document by using the Markup List feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.
- Blue text is used by the Originator to add responses to the QC Checker's comments for instances where the Originator disagrees with the QC Checker's provided markups. When the check is conducted using Bluebeam Revu, the Originator's responses to the QC Checker's comments may be added to the disposition document by using the Markup List feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.

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<u>Appendix I</u> of this manual includes an example disposition document which utilizes the Department's color-coding scheme. The color-coding scheme outlined in this section may be forgone with approval of the DelDOT Project Manager when performing QC/QA activities via Bluebeam Revu by using the Markup List feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.

2.2.1 Highlight Flattening

It is recommended that yellow highlights indicating the QC Checker's agreement be flattened through Bluebeam Revu to make for easier markup tracking for the Originator. Flattening highlights will prevent highlights from showing up in Bluebeam Revu's "Markup List". Highlights can be flattened in Bluebeam Revu by selecting **Document > Flatten...** as shown in Figure 2.2.1-a.

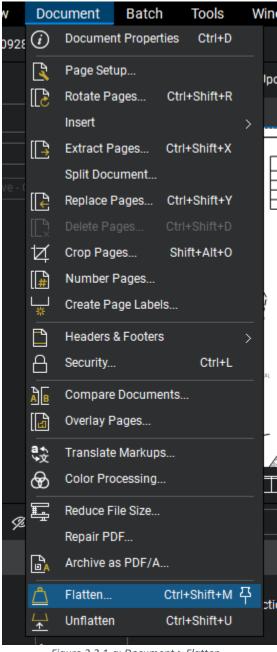


Figure 2.2.1-a: Document > Flatten...

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The following dialogue will appear. Select the option to flatten **Pen and Highlight** as shown in Figure 2.2.1-b. Select other options as appropriate and then select **Flatten**.

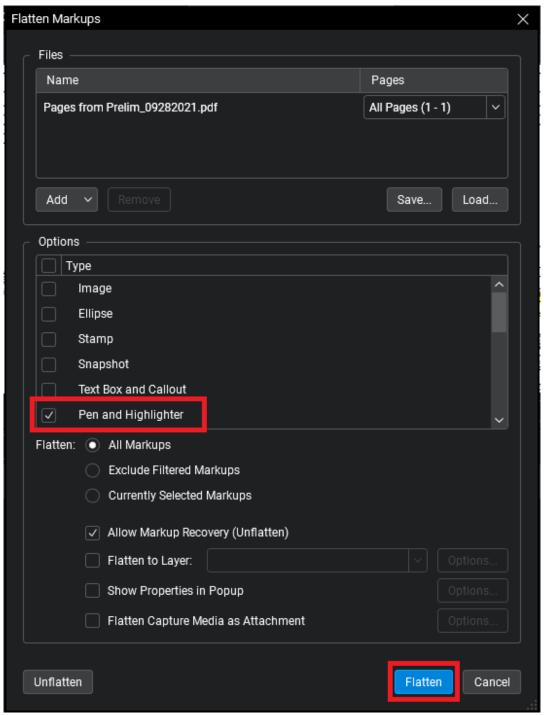


Figure 2.2.1-b: Flatten Markups Dialogue

Flattening in this manner will also flatten any pen markups made by the QC Checker. Therefore, it is recommended that a shape be placed around any pen markups made by the QC Checker to alert the Originator to the presence of the markup.

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Chapter 3 Plan Reviews

Plan reviews serve an important and complementary role in the creation of accurate, high-quality, complete, and clear work products; however, plan reviews are not considered a substitute to the comprehensive and thorough QC/QA methodology outlined in Chapter 2 of this manual. The plan review process and occurrence frequency will vary based upon the Department program developing the contract as well as the project's complexity and number of stakeholders. Plan reviews can be conducted as either a Department-wide Plan Review or as an Internal Plan Review defined as follows:

- **Department-wide Plan Review** a plan review in which Departmental staff and, on occasion, external stakeholders review and comment on the milestone submission. These plan reviews are typically mandatory in the Department's project development process.
- Internal Plan Review a plan review in which, typically, only staff internal to the originating section review and comment on the milestone submission. These reviews typically occur prior to Department-wide plan reviews.

The contents of this chapter are intended to describe the Division of Transportation Solutions' Department-wide Plan Review process; however, the practices and procedures described herein may be effectively applied across the entire Department. Plan reviews serve the following purposes:

- Allows support sections to review submitted work products for accuracy in each respective support section's assigned subject matter area,
- Alerts support sections to the need to commence development of work products that are triggered by a project development submission milestone, and
- Provides notice to other originator sections within the Department of upcoming improvements which promotes intra-Department coordination.

The Department's current practice is to use Studio Sessions through Bluebeam Revu to distribute and conduct plan reviews. The Department maintains several guidance documents to support this current practice:

- <u>Engineering Instruction PM-19-002</u>: Electronic Plan Review through Bluebeam Revu This document provides standards for getting started with DelDOT's Electronic Plan Review process and directions for accessing Bluebeam Revu trainings.
- <u>Electronic Plan Review with Bluebeam Studio</u> This document provides a general overview of Bluebeam Revu and Bluebeam Studio.
- <u>Engineering Instruction PM-19-003</u>: Department Wide Electronic Plan Distributions This document provides instructions for creating Department Wide Electronic Plan Distributions through Bluebeam Studio.
- <u>Engineering Instruction PM-19-004</u>: Internal Electronic Plan Distributions This document provides instructions for creating Internal Electronic Plan Distributions through Bluebeam Studio.
- <u>Engineering Instruction PM-20-001</u>: Best Practice for Electronic Plan Review in Bluebeam Sessions
 This document covers best practices for electronic plan reviews using Bluebeam Revu.

Changes incorporated into work products require that a quality control check in accordance with the methodology described in Chapter 2 of this manual occur. The quality control check should specifically verify that the change is incorporated correctly and that the change does not result in any other unforeseen negative effects.

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Chapter 4 Contract Advertisement

The period immediately before contract advertisement is a critical stage in both the project development process as well as in the QC/QA process. This time represents project team's last opportunity to make changes to the contract documents before such changes to the contract documents would require the processing of potentially costly addendums or revisions.

The Department has established two separate tasks, respectively described in Section 4.1 and Section 4.2, to ensure that proper QC/QA has occurred on a contract prior to advertisement. The project team must have sufficiently completed the QC/QA methodology established in Chapter 2 of this manual prior to initiating the processes established in this chapter. Appendix E of this manual contains a flow chart of staff roles and tasks to be performed during the pre-PS&E process. The tasks described in Section 4.1 and Section 4.2 should occur concurrently with each other.

4.1 Pre-PS&E Reviews

Pre-PS&E reviews are intended to be an independent final review of the contract documents ahead of advertisement. The pre-PS&E review is intended to supplement the QC/QA methodology described in Chapter 2 of this manual and to ensure that the Department is advertising a complete and thorough contract. It is important that all contract documents be complete prior to the pre-PS&E review commencing as the review is intended to check the consistency amongst all the proposed contract documents.

The pre-PS&E review requires that a staff member familiar with all aspects of design and contract administration perform the review. Originating sections typically assign the pre-PS&E review responsibility to that section's Design Resource Engineer (DRE) due to their relevant experience and expertise. Sections which do not have a Design Resource Engineer can assign this task to other qualified staff members. Pre-PS&E reviews are to be initiated by submitting the memorandum included as Appendix F of this manual to the designated Pre-PS&E reviewer.

The pre-PS&E review should focus on the accuracy, consistency, and completeness of the contract documents. Subjective or preference related comments are to be kept to a minimum. The pre-PS&E review is to result in the reviewer returning markups on the provided contract documents. It is recommended that the review be color-coded in accordance with the recommendations contained in Section 2.2 of this manual. A pre-PS&E review checklist is included as Appendix G of this manual. Reviewing the contract documents in accordance with the requirements contained in Appendix G is considered to be the minimum required extent of review. Reviewers may perform additional review at their discretion.

4.2 QC/QA Audit and Contract Endorsement

All contracts that are to be advertised by the Department are to be endorsed in accordance with <u>Policy</u> <u>Implement D-04 Engineering Plan Approval Policy</u>. The person who endorses the contract is termed the "Endorser". The Endorser must be the Division Director responsible for the programming and management of the project or their designee.

The Endorser will not apply their signature approving the contract for advertisement until two conditions are met:

- The Engineer of Record must have signed and sealed the appropriate work products. The
 Department maintains <u>Engineering Instruction PM-18-002</u>: Creating Seal, Signature and Date
 Stamps in Adobe Acrobat and <u>Engineering Instruction PM-19-001</u>: Creating Seal, Signature and
 Date Stamps in Bluebeam Revu, which both describe the Department's plan signing and sealing
 procedures.
- 2. The originating section must submit a completed QC/QA Certification memorandum, included in this manual as Appendix B, to the Endorser. The QC/QA Certification memorandum is intended to verify that the appropriate Standard of Care was followed by the originating section and that all QC/QA procedures outlined in this manual have been sufficiently followed. The Endorser may audit the project files to confirm compliance.

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Appendix A Work Product Specific QC Procedures

This appendix provides specific QC procedures to be followed for the most common work products developed by the Department.

A.1 Plan Sheets

- The Originator will submit completed plan sheets to the QC Checker for quality control checking.
- The QC Checker will initial and date in **red** the first sheet of the provided set and review every piece of information conveyed on each plan sheet provided for checking. Checking activity is recorded directly on the plans using the color-coding scheme described in <u>Section 2.2</u> of this manual. All information contained in the plans such as elevations, dimensions, notes, schedules, quantities, etc., will be marked in **yellow** or **red** clearly indicating that a complete review of the document was performed. It is recommended that yellow highlight be flattened by the QC Checker in accordance with the procedure contained in <u>Section 2.2.1</u>. When the check is conducted using Bluebeam Revu, the QC Checker's comments may be added to the disposition document by using the Markup List feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.
 - o **Black pencil** may be used by the QC Checker to annotate their corrections. These annotations are not considered corrections, but may offer clarification to the Originator such as a scratch computation indicating how a corrected number recommended by the QC Checker was derived. When the check is conducted using Bluebeam Revu, the QC Checker's notes may be added to the disposition document by using the Markup List feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.
- The QC Checker will return markups to the Originator for disposition.
- The Originator will then verify the QC Checker's comments to the plans and discuss any items that may need further clarification. The Originator and the QC Checker are to work expeditiously to resolve any disagreements or confusion.
- The Originator will update the plan sheets and document the disposition of all comments using the color-coding scheme described in Section 2.2 of this manual. The Originator is to use green highlight to indicate agreement and incorporation of the QC Checker's comments. Green text is used by the Originator to initial and date their response to the check as well as to document changes made based on the QC Checker's comments. Blue is used by the Originator to add responses to the QC Checker's comments for instances where the Originator disagrees with the QC Checker's provided markups. When the check is conducted using Bluebeam Revu, the Originator's responses to the QC Checker's comments may be added to the disposition document by using the Markup List feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.
- The Originator will present the QC Checker with the revised plan sheets and return the original markups with their dispositions. The QC Checker will initial and date in red the first sheet in the updated plan set and review all revisions using the color-coding scheme described in Section 2.2 of this manual. All markups made are to be added to the updated plan set. The QC Checker will acknowledge agreement or make follow-up comments to dispositions in the previous iteration.
- This process will continue with as many iterations as necessary until the final iteration contains only the QC Checker's initials and date in red on the first sheet in the updated set and approval of all previous iteration's comments as signified by a yellow highlight. It is recommended that yellow highlight be flattened by the QC Checker in accordance with the procedure contained in Section 2.2.1.
- Any comments that cannot be resolved between the Originator and the QC Checker will be resolved by the Engineer of Record. The dispositions will document how the dispute was resolved.

• A collated document of all QC iterations will be saved to the QC/QA folder in the project directory. A clear and consistent naming convention is to be used for simplified work tracking.

A.2 Calculations

- The Originator will provide completed computations to the QC Checker for QC with the following items included:
 - Objective of the computation,
 - List of design assumptions and technical references,
 - The Originator's initials and date completed,
 - Any documented self-checks produced by the Originator,
 - o Index, summary, and page numbering as required for clarity, and
 - Sketches, dimensions, and units of measure.
- The QC Checker will initial and date in **red** the first sheet of the provided calculations. The QC Checker is to review and verify (at a minimum) the following:
 - o Are the Originator's assumptions valid?
 - o Have all necessary self-checks been made to accomplish the Originator's objective?
 - Side checks and/or parallel computations by the QC Checker may be required to validate the results from the software program and/or spreadsheets used in the design.
- At a minimum, all *assumptions*, *inputs*, and final *design checks* will either be highlighted or marked up in red text. It is recommended that yellow highlight be flattened by the QC Checker in accordance with the procedure contained in Section 2.2.1. When the check is conducted using Bluebeam Revu, the QC Checker's comments may be added to the disposition document by using the Markup List feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.
 - Black pencil may be used by the QC Checker to annotate their corrections. These annotations are not considered corrections, but may offer clarification to the Originator such as a scratch computation indicating how a corrected number recommended by the QC Checker was derived. When the check is conducted using Bluebeam Revu, the QC Checker's notes may be added to the disposition document by using the Markup List feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.
- The QC Checker will return markups to the Originator for disposition.
- The Originator will then verify the QC Checker's comments to the calculations and discuss any items that may need further clarification. The Originator and the QC Checker are to work expeditiously to resolve any disagreements or confusion.
- The Originator will update the calculations and document the disposition of all comments using the color-coding scheme described in Section 2.2 of this manual. The Originator is to use green highlight to indicate agreement and incorporation of the QC Checker's comments. Green text is used by the Originator to initial and date their response to the check as well as to document changes made based on the QC Checker's comments. Blue is used by the Originator to add responses to the QC Checker's comments for instances where the Originator disagrees with the QC Checker's provided markups. When the check is conducted using Bluebeam Revu, the Originator's responses to the QC Checker's comments may be added to the disposition document by using the Markup List feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.
- The Originator will present the QC Checker with the revised calculations and return the original
 markups with their dispositions. The QC Checker will initial and date in red the first sheet in the
 calculations provided and review all revisions using the color-coding scheme described in Section 2.2 of this manual. All markups made are to be added to the revised calculations. The QC Checker

- will acknowledge agreement or make follow-up comments to dispositions in the previous iteration.
- This process will continue with as many iterations as necessary until the final iteration contains
 only the QC Checker's initials and date in red on the first sheet in the calculations provided and
 approval of all previous iteration's comments as signified by a yellow highlight. It is recommended
 that yellow highlight be flattened by the QC Checker in accordance with the procedure contained
 in Section 2.2.1.
- Any comments that cannot be resolved between the Originator and the QC Checker will be resolved by the Engineer of Record. The dispositions will document how the dispute was resolved.
- A collated document of all QC iterations will be saved to the QC/QA folder in the project directory. A clear and consistent naming convention is to be used for simplified work tracking.

A.3 Computer Software Computations

Only staff members familiar with the program or methodology should perform the role of the QC Checker when reviewing computer software computations.

- The Originator will provide the QC Checker with the following items:
 - All input data,
 - Any pertinent output data,
 - o A list of any necessary design assumptions,
 - o Results of any self-checks performed, and
 - Any other information as determined necessary by the Originator.
- The QC Checker's review will verify (at a minimum) the following items:
 - The input used by the Originator is appropriate,
 - o The input used by the Originator is accurately applied, and
 - o The validity of any of the Originator's assumptions.
- The QC Checker will review the Originator's self-check and/or perform side computations to verify that the Originator's output data is accurate.
- At a minimum, all *assumptions* and *inputs* will either be highlighted or marked up in red text. It is recommended that yellow highlight be flattened by the QC Checker in accordance with the procedure contained in Section 2.2.1. When the check is conducted using Bluebeam Revu, the QC Checker's comments may be added to the disposition document by using the Markup List feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.
 - Black pencil may be used by the QC Checker to annotate their corrections. These annotations are not considered corrections, but may offer clarification to the Originator such as a scratch computation indicating how a corrected number recommended by the QC Checker was derived. When the check is conducted using Bluebeam Revu, the QC Checker's notes may be added to the disposition document by using the Markup List feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.
- The QC Checker will return markups to the Originator for disposition.
- The Originator will then verify the QC Checker's comments to the calculations and discuss any items that may need further clarification. The Originator and the QC Checker are to work expeditiously to resolve any disagreements or confusion.
- The Originator will update the calculations and document the disposition of all comments using the color-coding scheme described in Section 2.2 of this manual. The Originator is to use green highlight to indicate agreement and incorporation of the QC Checker's comments. Green text is used by the Originator to initial and date their response to the check as well as to document changes made based on the QC Checker's comments. Blue is used by the Originator to add

responses to the QC Checker's comments for instances where the Originator disagrees with the QC Checker's provided markups. When the check is conducted using Bluebeam Revu, the Originator's responses to the QC Checker's comments may be added to the disposition document by using the Markup List feature inside of Bluebeam Revu.

- The Originator will present the QC Checker with the revised calculations and return the original markups with their dispositions. The QC Checker will initial and date in red the first sheet in the calculations provided and review all revisions using the color-coding scheme described in Section 2.2 of this manual. All markups made are to be added to the revised calculations. The QC Checker will acknowledge agreement or make follow-up comments to dispositions in the previous iteration.
- This process will continue with as many iterations as necessary until the final iteration contains only the QC Checker's initials and date in **red** on the first sheet in the calculations provided and approval of all previous iteration's comments as signified by a **yellow** highlight. It is recommended that yellow highlight be flattened by the QC Checker in accordance with the procedure contained in Section 2.2.1.
- Any comments that cannot be resolved between the Originator and the QC Checker will be resolved by the Engineer of Record. The dispositions will document how the dispute was resolved.
- A collated document of all QC iterations will be saved to the QC/QA folder in the project directory. A clear and consistent naming convention is to be used for simplified work tracking.

A.4 3D Engineered Models

Creating 3D Engineered Models has become an essential part of the project development process. The Department maintains recommended QC/QA procedures for these work products at the following location:

https://caddwiki.deldot.gov/index.php/Development_and_Review of 3D_Engineered Models_for Construction. The Department's established procedures can be used at logical milestones within the project development process as determined necessary by the project team.

A.5 Word Documents

QC of Word documents will be accomplished via the "track changes" function and saved to the appropriate folder in the project directory. However, if preferred there are two alternatives to using the "track changes" method.

- 1. **Hard Copy Review** A hard copy review may be performed using the Quality Control Color-Coding scheme outlined in <u>Section 2.2</u> of this manual. In this case, it is not necessary to highlight every word of text in the document but rather just make a notation at the bottom of each page for which the review has been completed.
- 2. PDF Document Review The word document can be converted to a PDF and a review can be performed using Bluebeam Revu. The QC will follow the previously provided Plan Sheet procedures if this method is chosen. In this case, it is not necessary to highlight every word of text in the document but rather just make a notation at the bottom of each page for which the review has been completed.

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Appendix B QC/QA Memorandums

QC/QA Standard Certification Memo Template – Department Developed Contract

MEMORANDUM

То:	Division Director						
Via:	Chief, Assistant Dire	Chief, Assistant Director, or District Engineer as QC/QA Verifier					
Via:	PM II as QC/QA Cert	M II as QC/QA Certifier					
From:	PM I as QC/QA Certi	fier					
Date:	Month, Day, Year						
Subject:	TXXXX-XXX-XX, Proj	ect Name					
accurate, and meet	of my knowledge and belie	ef that all elements required for advertiseme uired. DelDOT's quality control processes we le in project files.	-				
Signature (P							
Signature (P	°M II)	Date					
QC/QA Verification:	<u>!</u>						
and quality assurand project design, cons	ce process was followed;	the best of my knowledge and belief that the that the Engineer of Record is properly licensions, cost estimates, and all other required eady for advertisement.	sed; and that the				
Signature (A	ND, Chief, District Enginee	er) Date					

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MEMORANDUM

То:	Division Director							
Via:		Chief, Assistant Direct	or, or Dist	rict Engineer as	QC/QA V	erifier		
Via:		PM II as QC/QA Verifier						
From:		PM I as QC/QA Verifier						
Date:		Month, Day, Year						
<u>Subject</u>	:	TXXXX-XXX-XX, Projec	t Name					
Consult	ant Certification	<u>ı:</u>						
-		=					ct	
	Signature (Cons	ultant)		Date				
docume were fo Enginee cost est	ents and verify to llowed in accord er of Record is p imates, and all c	o the best of my knowled dance with the consulta roperly licensed; and t	edge and k ant's quali hat the pi	pelief that the re ty control and q roject design, co	quired qu uality asso onstruction	ality control process urance policy; that the n plans, specification	es ne ns,	
Via: Chief, Assistant Director, or District Engineer as QC/QA Verifier Via: PM II as QC/QA Verifier From: PM I as QC/QA Verifier Date: Month, Day, Year Subject: TXXXX-XXX, Project Name Consultant Certification: I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that all required elements needed to construct this are complete and have followed our organization's quality control and quality assurance policy.								
	Signature (PM I	 I)		Date				
	Signature (AD, C	 Chief, District Engineer)		Date				

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MEMORANDUM **Group Engineer, ROW Engineering** To: Via: Chief, Assistant Director, or District Engineer as QC/QA Verifier PM II as QC/QA Certifier Via: PM I as QC/QA Certifier From: Month, Day, Year Date: Subject: TXXXX-XXX-XX, Project Name **QC/QA Certification:** I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that the required design elements are complete, meet the Standard of Care required as to process, and are within the existing or proposed rights-of-way. Signature (PM I) Date Signature (PM II) Date QC/QA Verification:

I have reviewed the documents and verify to the best of my knowledge and belief that all required elements for acquisition are complete, meet the Standard of Care required as to process, and are within the existing or proposed rights-of-way.

Signature (AD, Chief, District Engineer)	Date	

MEMORANDUM To: **Group Engineer, ROW Engineering** Via: Chief, Assistant Director, or District Engineer as QC/QA Verifier Via: PM II as QC/QA Verifier PM I as QC/QA Verifier From: Date: Month, Day, Year Subject: TXXXX-XXX, Project Name **Consultant Certification:** I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that the required design elements are complete, meet the Standard of Care required as to process, have followed our organization's quality control and quality assurance policy, and are within the existing or proposed rights-of-way. Signature (Consultant) Date QC/QA Verification: This project was designed under the responsible charge of a consultant engineer. I have reviewed the documents and verify to the best of my knowledge and belief that all required quality control processes

were followed in accordance with the consultant's quality control and quality assurance policy and that

Signature (PM I)

Date

Signature (PM II)

Date

Signature (AD, Chief, District Engineer)

Date

all required elements needed to acquire the necessary rights-of-way are complete.

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Appendix C Department Checklists

The Department has developed and maintains several project development related checklists that are intended to ensure complete work products. The Department's checklists are dynamic documents and are updated as Department processes and preferences change. The table provided below lists and provides a link to the Department's project development related checklists.

Document Title	Link
Construction Plan Submission Checklist for	https://deldot.gov/Business/drc/pdfs/projectmanagement/plan_submission_checklist.pdf?ca
Division of Transportation Solutions Projects	<u>che=1637199339571</u>
Bridge Design – Concrete Girder Bridge	https://deldot.gov/Business/drc/pd_files/plan_development/concrete_girder_bridge_checkli
Submission Checklist	<u>st.pdf</u>
Bridge Design – Steel Girder Bridge	https://deldot.gov/Business/drc/pd_files/plan_development/steel_girder_bridge_checklist.p
Submission Checklist	<u>df</u>
Bridge Design – Precast Concrete Arch or Rigid	https://deldot.gov/Business/drc/pd_files/plan_development/bridge_arch_or_frame_checklis
Frame Bridge Submission Checklist	<u>t.pdf</u>
Bridge Design – Precast Concrete Box Culvert	https://deldot.gov/Business/drc/pd_files/plan_development/bridge_culvert_checklist.pdf
Submission Checklist	nttps://deldot.gov/business/dic/pu_nes/plan_development/bindge_culvert_checklist.pdi
Right-of-Way Plan Submission Checklist for	https://deldot.gov/Business/drc/pdfs/rightofway/rw_plan_submission_checklist.pdf
Division of Transportation Solutions Projects	Tittps:// deldot.gov/ business/ dro/ purs/ rightorway/ rw - plan-susmission-enceklist.par
3D Engineered Model Review Checklist	https://deldot.gov/Business/drc/pdfs/cadd/guidelines/development_and_review_of_3d_engi
3D Eligineered Woder Neview ellecklist	neered models for construction.pdf
Drainage Plan Submission Checklist for	https://deldot.gov/Business/drc/misc_files/drainage_checklist.pdf
Division of Transportation Solutions Projects	nttps.// deldot.gov/ business/ dre/ mise_mes/ dramage_thetkiist.pur
Stormwater Checklist for Division of	https://deldot.gov/Business/drc/pdfs/stormwater/guidelines/stormwater_checklist.pdf
Transportation Solutions Projects	nttps.// deldot.gov/ business/ dre/ purs/ stormwater/ guidelines/ stormwater_thecklist.pur

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Appendix D QC/QA Plan Template

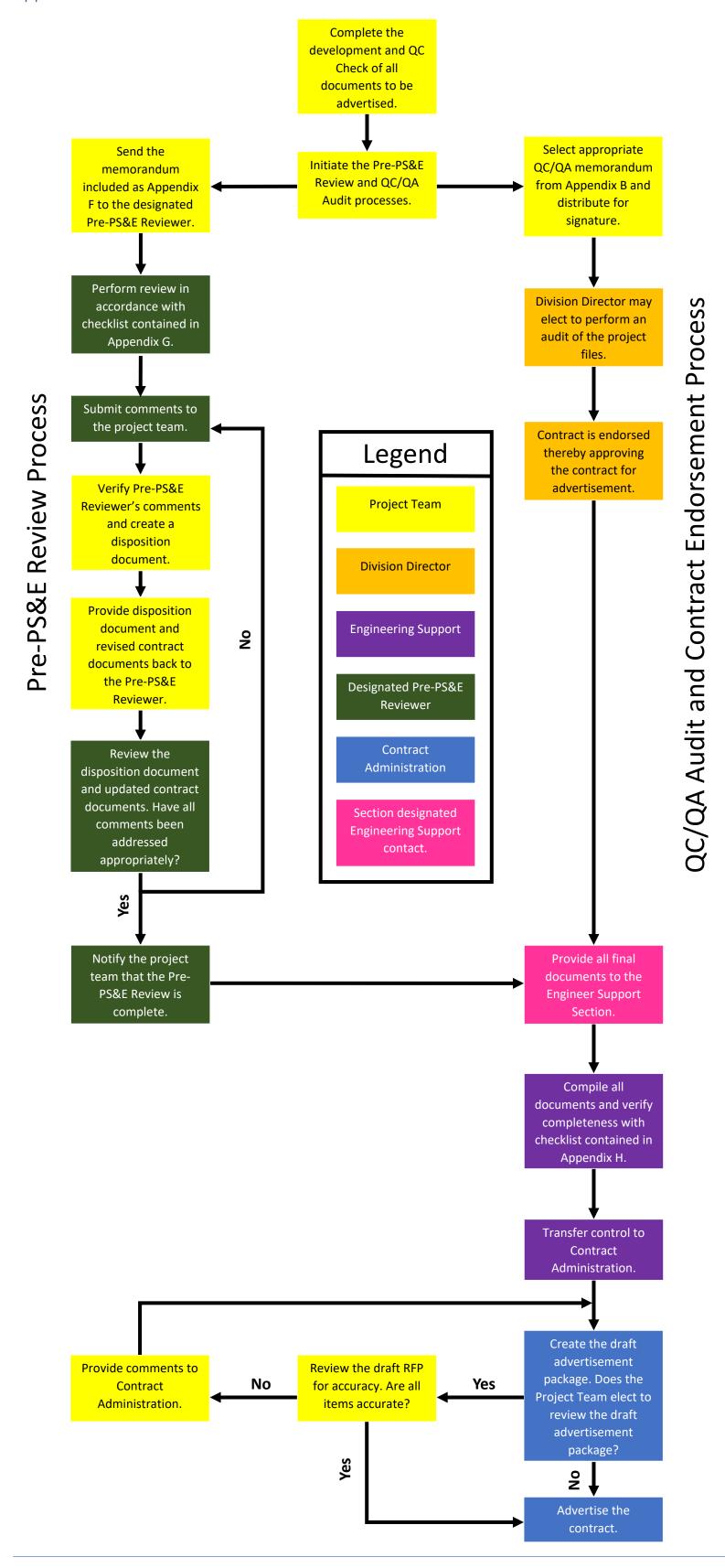
Project Manager Assigned with Overseeing QC:

Contract Name:

State Contract Number:

		QC Plan		QC Performed and Validated				
QC Task Description	QC Checker	Date	Estimated	QC Checker	Date QC	Actual Hours	Date Validated	
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Pre-PS&E Review Request Memorandum

Appendix F Pre-PS&E Review Initiation Memorandum

Directions for Completing this Memorandum

- This memorandum is to be completed by the DelDOT Project Manager to request a Pre-PS&E Review from the designated Pre-PS&E Reviewer.
- The Pre-PS&E review is only to occur after all contract documents have been sufficiently quality control checked and quality assurance reviewed in accordance with the process outlined in the DelDOT QC/QA Manual.
- The DelDOT Project Manager is to email this completed memorandum to the designated Pre-PS&E reviewer to initiate the Pre-PS&E review.
- The checklist included on the next page is intended as a tool to assist the DelDOT Project Manager in gauging whether the contract documents are ready for a Pre-PS&E review. Answering "No" to any of the checklist prompts requires that an explanation be provided in the "Additional Comments" field at the bottom of this page.
- By emailing this memorandum, the DelDOT Project Manager certifies that the contract documents are ready for review.
- At a minimum, the following documents must be provided through the hyperlink provided below:
 - o Draft bid proposal document,
 - All contract specific language to be added to the contract documents,
 - Construction Plans,
 - Completed quantity calculations in accordance with the Department's Quantity Calculations Guidelines,
 - o Traffic Statement,
 - o Timing Statement, and
 - o AASHTOWare quantities output summary.

	Project Information
Contract Number:	
F.A.P. Number:	
Primavera Number:	
Contract Name:	
Designer/ Engineer of Record:	
DelDOT Project Manager:	
Bridge Number (if applicable):	
FHWA PoDI Project?:	
Link to Review Documents:	

Additional Pre-PS&E Requestor Notes

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Pre-PS&E Review Request Memorandum

Bid Proposal Document Progress Checklist		
Have the following items been completed?	Yes	No
Have all work products associated with the Construction Plans been QC checked and QA reviewed in accordance with the requirements in the DelDOT QC/QA Manual?		
Have all comments received on the Construction Plans been addressed and documented?		
Has the Title Sheet been stamped and signed by the Engineer of Record?		
Is the project's QC/QA Memorandum in the process of being circulated for signature?		
Have all work products associated with the Engineer's Estimate been QC checked and QA reviewed in accordance with the requirements in the DelDOT QC/QA Manual?		
Have all comments received on the Engineer's Estimate been addressed and documented?		
Have all necessary quantity calculations and estimate information been incorporated into a single document in accordance with the Department's Quantity Calculations Guidelines ?		
Has the Traffic Statement been received and reviewed for accuracy and consistency with the other contract documents?		
Has the Utility Statement been received and reviewed for accuracy and consistency with the other contract documents?		
Has the Timing Statement been received and reviewed for accuracy and consistency with the other contract documents?		
Has the Railroad Statement been received and reviewed for accuracy and consistency with the other contract documents?		
Has the Environmental Statement been received and reviewed for accuracy and consistency with the other contract documents? If no, provide estimated date of STIP or Certified Cleared Cert. in the additional comments field.		
Has the Right-of-Way Statement been received and reviewed for accuracy and consistency with the other contract documents? If no, provide estimated date of STIP or Certified Cleared Cert. in the additional comments field.		
Has all project required information been entered into AASHTOWare?		
Have all required quantity breakout sheets been completed? Only answer if applicable.		
Has all required contract specific language been created and ready for insertion into the contract?		
For federally funded projects only – Has the project team submitted an inquiry to the DelDOT DBE		
Manager to determine whether item 763503 – Trainee needs to be included in the contract? Only answer if applicable.		
Has a draft bid proposal document been processed and reviewed by the Engineer of Record?		
Have the appropriate activities and expenses been updated and statements attached in Primavera?		
If required, has the advanced utility relocation memo been approved and submitted? Only answer if applicable.		
Have the project's Digital Deliverables been provided to the designate reviewer?		

Pre-PS&E Review Checklist

Appendix G Pre-PS&E Review Checklist

Directions for Completing this Checklist

- Pre-PS&E reviews are intended to be an independent final review of the contract documents ahead of advertisement.
- Pre-PS&E reviews should be performed by a staff member familiar with all aspects of design and contract administration. Originating sections typically assign the pre-PS&E review responsibility to that section's Design Resource Engineer (DRE) due to their relevant experience and expertise. Sections which do not have a Design Resource Engineer can assign this task to other qualified staff members.
- The pre-PS&E review should focus on the accuracy, consistency, and completeness of the contract documents. Subjective or preference related comments are to be kept to a minimum.
- The pre-PS&E review is to be requested by the project team once all contract documents have been sufficiently
 quality control checked and quality assurance reviewed in accordance with the process outlined in the DelDOT
 QC/QA Manual.
- This checklist can be used by the pre-PS&E reviewer to help ensure a comprehensive review of the contract documents. Checklist prompts which result in a "No" response represent an inconsistency with the contract documents which requires resolution. The review is to result in the reviewer returning pdf markups of the draft contract documents.
- The pre-PS&E reviewer is to coordinate with the project team to verify that all comments are properly addressed prior to PS&E.
- For brevity, this checklist refers to several of the draft contract documents through acronyms. Below is a list of the acronyms included in this checklist:
 - o **BPD** Bid Proposal Document,
 - AED AASHTOware Estimate Document,
 - CPS Construction Plan Set,
 - o **EE** Engineer's Estimate, and
 - o **QC** Quantity Calculations.

	Project Information
Contract Number:	
Contract Name:	
Bridge Number (if applicable):	
Name of Reviewer:	
Name of Review Requestor:	

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Pre-PS&E Review Checklist

Section I - Bid Proposal Document (BPD) Review					
Answering "No" represents a contract document inconsistency which requires resolution.		Yes	No)	NA
This section of the review consists of reviewing the contract items in the BPD and the AED to ensure consistency between	vee	n the t	two do	ocum	ents.
Are the contract item numbers consistent between the BPD and AED?					
Are the contract item units of measure consistent between the BPD and AED?					
Are the contract item quantities consistent between the BPD and AED?					
This section of the review consists of reviewing the BPD to ensure breakout sheets are included where required.					
Are breakout sheets included for all items which require breakout sheets?					
Are breakout sheets included for all elements where breakout sheets are referenced in the CPS?					
This section of the review consists of reviewing the BPD and the AED to verify that all required special provisions were	e in	cluded	d in th	e BP C).
Are special provisions included in the BPD for all items in the BPD and AED that require the insertion of					
a special provision?		<u> </u>			<u> </u>
Is the language contained in the contract special provisions consistent with the rest of the contract?					
Are the required non-pay item special provisions included in the contract? (Typically 202560, 401502, 401580, 401699, 763503 etc.)]	
Are any railroad statement required special provisions included?				1	
This section of the review consists of reviewing any contract specific language in the BPD to the other contract docum	nen	ts.			
Are any contract specific road user costs (RUCs) and liquidated damages (LDs) referenced in the CPS or other contract documents included in the BPD ?					
Is any contract specific entity coordination (i.e. utilities, government agencies, property owners etc.) which is required by the contract included in the BPD ?					
Are any contract specific insurance requirements referenced in the CPS or other contract documents included in the BPD ?					
This section of the review consists of a review of the Timing Statement in comparison to the BPD.					
Is the amount of contract calendar days and weather days consistent between the BPD and the Timing Statement?]	
Does the BPD reflect any special language regarding timing such as partial/full NTP dates?					

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Pre-PS&E Review Checklist

Section II - Construction Plan Set (CPS Review)						
Answering "No" represents a contract document inconsistency which requires resolution.	Yes	No	NA			
This section of the review consists of a general review of the CPS to ensure clarity and accuracy.						
Are the CPS free of spelling and grammatical errors?						
Do the CPS meet the Department's CADD standards?			H			
Are the CPS readable?	H		H			
This section of the review consists of a review of the Notes sheet(s) of the CPS.						
Does the Notes sheet(s) contain only relevant project notes?						
Are the included project notes free of conflict and inconsistencies with the information in the contract						
specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)?						
Are all items included in the Notes sheet(s) included in the AED?						
Are the General Notes included the most recent?						
Are the Specification year and Standard Detail year referenced in the General Notes consistent with the rest of the contract?						
Do the included project notes follow the approved project notes language on the DRC?						
Are all items and quantities included in the Earthwork Summary included and consistent with the AED ?						
This section of the review consists of a review of the Typical Section sheet(s) of the CPS .						
Are all items included in the Typical Section sheet(s) included in the AED ?						
Are only items that are used in the Typical Sections shown in the Typical Section sheet(s) legend?						
Is the item usage in the Typical Section sheet(s) consistent and devoid of conflicts with the information						
in the Notes sheet(s)?						
Is the item usage in the Typical Section sheet(s) consistent and devoid of conflict with the information in the Construction Plan sheet(s)?						
Is the item usage in the Typical Section sheet(s) consistent and devoid of conflict with the contract						
specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)?						
This section of the review consists of a review of the Construction Plan sheet(s) of the CPS.						
Are all items included in any Construction Plan sheet(s) notes included in the AED?						
Are all elements of proposed work included in the Construction Plan sheet(s) accounted for in the QC ? For example, are all drainage inlets identified as "Adjust by Contractor" accounted for in the QC ?						
Does the schedule information provided in the Construction Plan sheet(s) match the quantity in the AED ?						
Is the item usage in the Construction Plan sheet(s) consistent and devoid of conflict with the information						
in the Notes sheet(s)?						
Is the item usage in the Construction Plan sheet(s) consistent and devoid of conflict with the contract						
specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)?						
Are all Construction Plan sheet(s) notes free of conflict and inconsistencies with the information in the						
contract specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)?						
Are all Construction Plan sheet(s) notes consistent with the rest of the CPS ?						
This section of the review consists of a review of the Profile sheet(s) of the CPS .	ı	ı	ı			
Are proposed drainage features shown on the Profile sheet(s) consistent with the Construction Plan sheet(s)?						
Are all items included in the Profile sheet(s) included in the AED ?						
This section of the review consists of a review of the Grades and Geometrics sheet(s) of the CPS.						
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Section II - Construction Plan Set (CPS Review)						
Answering "No" represents a contract document inconsistency which requires resolution.	Yes	No	NA			
This section of the review consists of a review of the Bridge Plan sheet(s) of the CPS.						
Do the Bridge Plan sheet(s) contain only relevant project notes?						
Are elevation views and structural details properly shown and detailed?						
Are all items included in the Bridge sheets included in the AED ?						
This section of the review consists of a review of the Stormwater Management Plan sheet(s) of the CPS .						
Is the SWM Engineer's signature included in the signature block?						
Are all items included in the Stormwater Management Plan sheet(s) included in the AED?			H			
Are only relevant notes included?			H			
Are all Stormwater Management Plan sheet(s) notes free of conflict and inconsistencies with the						
information in the contract specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)? Are all Stormwater Management Plan sheet(s) notes consistent with the rest of the CPS ?	$\vdash \sqcap$	$\vdash \vdash$				
This section of the review consists of a review of the Environmental Compliance Plan sheet(s) of the CPS. Are all items included in the Environmental Compliance Plan sheet(s) included in the AED?						
Are all items included in the Environmental Compliance Plan sheet(s) included in the AED?		$\vdash ot \vdash$				
Are the Environmental Compliance Plan sheet(s) notes logical and enforceable?						
Are all Environmental Compliance Plan sheet(s) notes free of conflict and inconsistencies with the						
information in the contract specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)?						
Are all Environmental Compliance Plan sheet(s) notes consistent with the rest of the CPS ?						
This section of the review consists of a review of the Construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) of the construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) of the construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) of the construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) of the construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) of the construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) of the construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) of the construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) of the construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) of the construction Phasing of the construction Phas	of the CPS					
Is the proposed work constructable?						
Is the SWM Engineer's signature included in the signature block?						
Are only relevant notes included?						
Is the correct level of Erosion and Sediment Control Supervisor oversight checkbox selected?						
Are all Construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) notes free of conflict and						
inconsistencies with the information in the contract specifications (Standard Specifications and contract						
special provisions)?						
Are all Construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) notes consistent with the rest of						
the CPS?						
Does the schedule information provided in the Construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan						
sheet(s) match the quantity in the AED ?						
Are all items included in the Construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) included in						
the AED?						
Are the quantities of items that are time duration dependent generally in-line with the Timing Statement?						
Is the item usage in the Construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) consistent and						
devoid of conflict with the contract specifications (Standard Specifications or contract special provisions)?						
This section of the review consists of a review of the Detour Plan sheet(s) of the CPS.						
Is the detour route(s) specified logical?						
Is the Detour Plan sheet(s) signed by all necessary parties?						
Are all contractor items included in the Detour Plan sheet(s) included in the AED?						
This section of the review consists of a review of the Landscaping Plan sheet(s) of the CPS.						
Does any schedule information provided in the Landscaping Plan sheet(s) match the quantity in the AED?						
Does any schedule information provided in the Landscaping Plan sheet(s) match the quantities in any						
included breakout sheets?		\sqcup				
Are all items included in the Landscaping Plan sheet(s) included in the AED?						
Are all Landscaping Plan sheet(s) notes free of conflict and inconsistencies with the information in the						
contract specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)?		\sqcup				
Are all Landscaping Plan sheet(s) notes consistent with the rest of the CPS?						

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Section II - Construction Plan Set (CPS Review)					
Answering "No" represents a contract document inconsistency which requires resolution.	Yes	No	NA		
This section of the review consists of a review of the Lighting Plan sheet(s) of the CPS.					
Does any schedule information provided in the Lighting Plan sheet(s) match the quantity in the AED ?					
Does the existing system disposition included in the Lighting Plan sheet(s) match that in the Construction					
Plan sheet(s)?					
Are all items included in the Lighting Plan sheet(s) included in the AED ?					
Are all Lighting Plan sheet(s) notes free of conflict and inconsistencies with the information in the					
contract specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)?	Ш				
Are all Lighting Plan sheet(s) notes consistent with the rest of the CPS?					
This section of the review consists of a review of the Utility Relocation Plan sheet(s) of the CPS.					
Are all items included in the Utility Relocation Plan sheet(s) included in the AED?					
Is the information in the Utility Relocation Plan sheet(s) and the Construction Plan sheet(s) consistent					
and devoid of conflict?					
Is the information in the Utility Relocation Plan sheet(s) and the construction phasing shown in the					
Construction Phasing, M.O.T. and Erosion Control Plan sheet(s) consistent and devoid of conflict?					
Are all Utility Relocation Plan sheet(s) notes free of conflict and inconsistencies with the information in					
the contract specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)?	_				
Are all Utility Relocation Plan sheet(s) notes consistent with the rest of the CPS?					
This section of the review consists of a review of the Signing, Striping and Conduit Plan sheet(s) of the CPS.					
Are all items included in the Signing, Striping and Conduit Plan sheet(s) included in the AED?					
Do the quantities included in the Signing, Striping and Conduit Plan sheet(s) sign schedule match the					
AED?	_				
Does the schedule information provided in the Signing, Striping and Conduit Plan sheet(s) match the					
quantity in the AED?					
Are all Signing, Striping and Conduit Plan sheet(s) notes free of conflict and inconsistencies with the					
information in the contract specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)?					
Are all Signing, Striping and Conduit Plan sheet(s) notes consistent with the rest of the CPS ?					
This section of the review consists of a review of the Sign Structure sheet(s) of the CPS.					
Are all items included in the Sign Structure sheet(s) included in the AED ?					
Are all Sign Structure sheet(s) notes free of conflict and inconsistencies with the information in the					
contract specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)?					
Are all Sign Structure sheet(s) notes consistent with the rest of the CPS?					
This section of the review consists of a review of the Signalization Plan sheet(s) of the CPS.					
Are all items included in the Signalization Plan sheet(s) included in the AED?					
Does the existing system disposition included in the Signalization Plan sheet(s) match that in the					
Construction Plan sheet(s)?	_		_		
Are all Signalization Plan sheet(s) notes free of conflict and inconsistencies with the information in the					
contract specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)?					
Are all Signalization Plan sheet(s) notes consistent with the rest of the CPS?					
This section of the review consists of a review of the Utility Statement in comparison to the CPS.					
Is the Utility Statement consistent with the Legend sheet?					
Is the Utility Statement consistent with the Utility Relocation Plan sheet(s)?					
Is the Utility Statement consistent with the Construction Plan sheet(s)?					
Is the Utility Statement consistent with the Lighting Plan sheet(s)?	一一				
Is the Utility Statement consistent with the Signalization Plan sheet(s)?					
Are contractor designated adjustments specified in the Utility Statement consistent with the AED?	\dashv				
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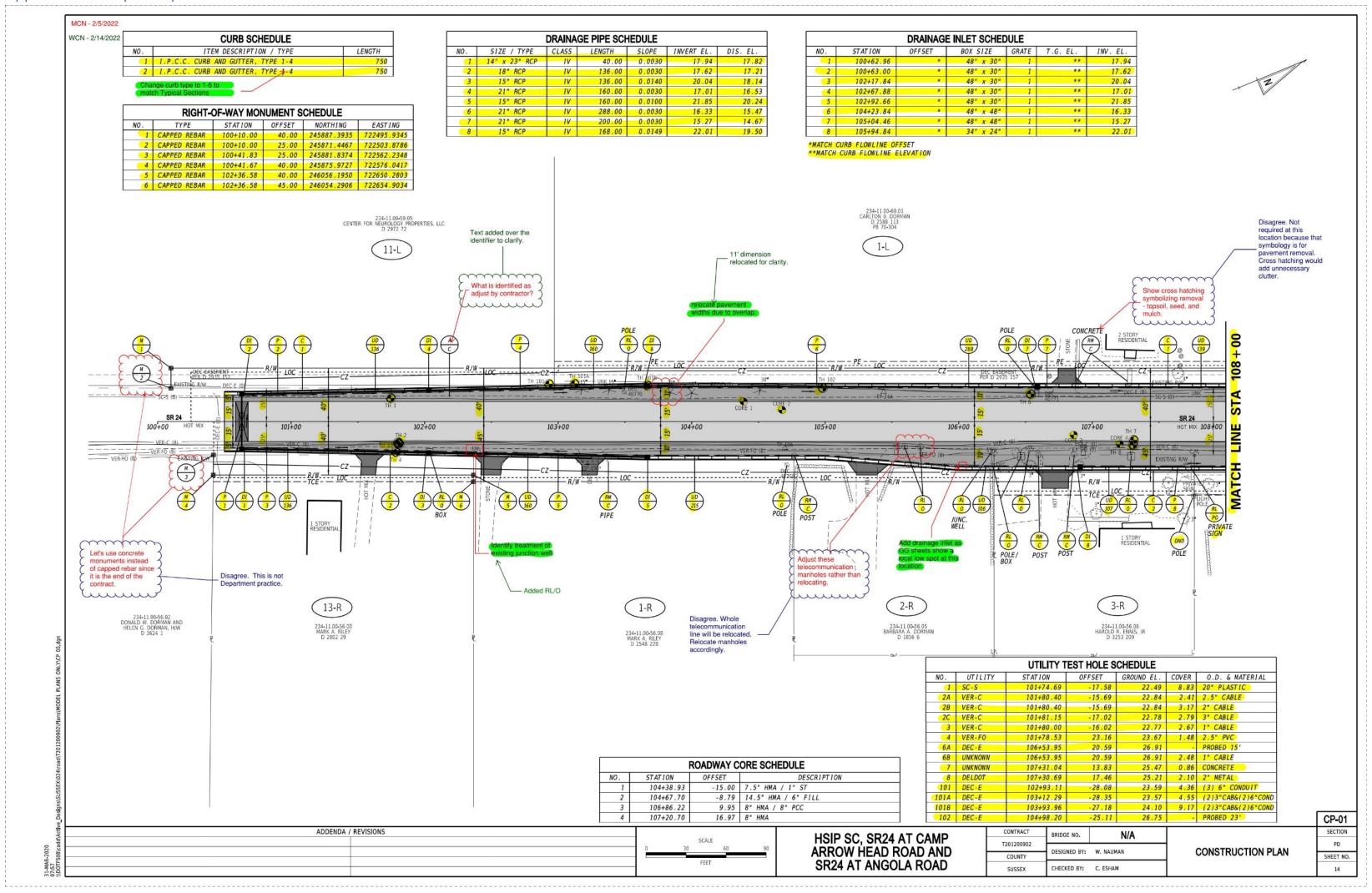
Section II - Construction Plan Set (CPS Review)					
Answering "No" represents a contract document inconsistency which requires resolution.	Yes	No	NA		
This section of the review consists of a review of the Traffic Statement in comparison to the CPS.					
Are the contractor items referenced in the Traffic Statement included in the AED?					
Does the sign schedule included in the Signing, Striping and Conduit Plan sheet(s) match the sign schedule included in the Traffic Statement?					
Is the Traffic Statement consistent with the Lighting Plan sheet(s)?					
Is the Traffic Statement consistent with the Signing, Striping and Conduit Plan sheet(s)?					
Is the Traffic Statement consistent with the Sign Structures sheet(s)?					
Is the Traffic Statement consistent with the Signalization Plan sheet(s)?					
This section of the review consists of a review of the Environmental Statement in comparison to the CPS.					
Do the Environmental Compliance Plan sheet(s) notes and Environmental Statement match?					
Section III – Engineer's Estimate (EE) Review					
Answering "No" represents a contract document inconsistency which requires resolution.	Yes	No	NA		
This section of the review consists of reviewing the EE to the other contract documents to ensure consistency.					
Are the quantity calculations included in QC complete and able to be followed?					
Are all items included in the QC included in the AED?					
Do the quantities included in the QC match the quantities included in the AED?					
Do the units of measure included in the QC match the units of measure included in the AED ?					
Is the information in the QC (items, units of measure, and measured quantities) consistent with the contract specifications (Standard Specifications and contract special provisions)?					
Does the estimate information in Primavera match the EE?					

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PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, AND ESTIMATE CHECKLIST

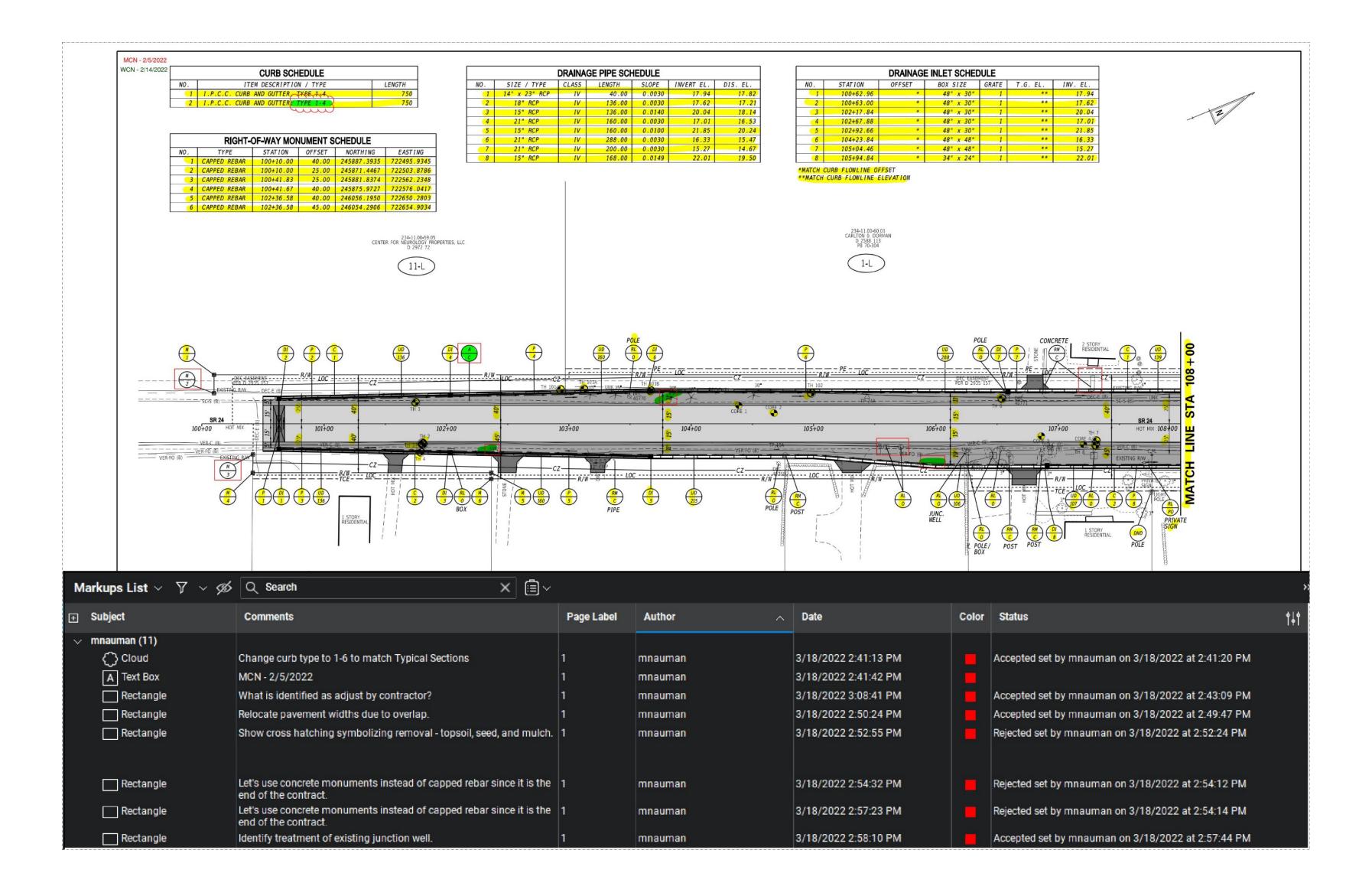
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COMPLETE	DATE	ACTIVITY		NOTES			
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		UTILITY STATEMENT (MPD09)					
	RIGHT-OF-WAY STATEMENT (MPD15)		ATEMENT (MPD15)				
ENVIRONMENTAL		ENVIRONMENTAL	STATEMENT (MPD16)				
		RAILROAD STATEMENT (MPD19)					
	TIMING STATEMENT (MPD17)		NT (MPD17)	CD: ??? WD: ?? NTP: ??????????			
		FINAL SIGNED PLANS (MPD13)					
		STORMWATER SIGN-OFF (MPD20)					
		PS&E SUBMITTED (MPD14)		Date PM Reviews & Approves			
		FINAL SPECIFICATIONS (MPD18)		Date I Finished Proposal			
	SPECIAL LANGUAGE UPDATED		GE UPDATED				
	TRANSFERRED TO CONTRACT ADMIN.		Date I PS&E to Contract Admin.				

Appendix I Example Disposition Document



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I-2: Example Dispostion Document

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